

### IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Applicant: Charlie Ryder et al.

Serial No.: 10/621,955

Art Unit: Unknown

Filed: July 16, 2003

Examiner: Unknown

For:

Nestless Plunge Mechanism For

**Semiconductor Testing** 

#### **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8**

I hereby certify that the following Preliminary Amendment is being deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope by first class mail, postage prepaid on October 14, 2003, addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: Oct. 14, 2003

#### SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## Am ndments to th sp cification:

After the title, please insert:

# "CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLCATIONS

This application claims the benefit of U.S. provisional application No. 60/396,643 filed on July 17, 2002."